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Applicant: Cyrus Ashtiani, et al.

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For: **METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE
DETERIORATION OF A BATTERY**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 20, 2006

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the office action dated April 21, 2006, please reconsider the above-identified patent application based on the following:

Mail Stop: AMENDMENT
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In re application of: Cyrus ASHTIANI, et al.
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Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action (7 pages) in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
- Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- No fee for additional claims is required.
- A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	
FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST	
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT
AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus 20	=	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus 3	=	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY		OR	LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	FEES		RATE	FEES
x \$ 9	\$		x \$ 18	\$
x \$ 43	\$		x \$ 86	\$
+ \$145	\$		+ \$290	\$
TOTAL: \$		OR	TOTAL: \$	

- * If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- Also transmitted herewith are:
 - Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - Other:
- Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover:
 - Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - Other:
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.



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I hereby certify that the documents referred to as attached therein and/or fee are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "first class mail" with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to "Mail Stop: AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" on July 20, 2006.

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